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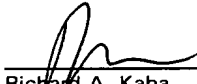
Appln No.: 10/699,726)
 Filed: November 3, 2003)
 Applicants: Thomas SCHWEGLE et al.)
 Title: AQUEOUS COMPOSITION)
 USEFUL FOR STABILIZING AND)
 TEXTURIZING DAIRY PRODUCTS)
 AND PROCESS FOR PEPARING)
 THE SAME)
 Art Unit: 1761)
 Examiner: Leslie A. WONG)
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 Attorney Docket No.: 1410/79559)
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**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER
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Sir:

Applicant(s) hereby appeal(s) to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Primary Examiner dated December 13, 2004 finally rejecting claims 1-19.

- The fee for this Notice of Appeal is \$ 500.00 (37 CFR § 1.17(b)).
- Applicant(s) assert entitlement to Small Entity Status (37 CFR § 1.27), reducing the Appeal Fee by half to \$ 250.00.
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Decision of Primary Examiner dated December 13, 2004

- Not required (fee paid in prior appeal in this application).
- A petition for extension of time under 37 CFR § 1.136(a) is enclosed.
- The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required in connection with this appeal (specifically including the fee for filing a brief in support of this appeal if such brief is filed unaccompanied by full payment therefor, and the fee for filing a request for an oral hearing if such request is made unaccompanied by full payment therefor), or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 06-1135. Should no proper payment be enclosed herewith, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 06-1135. This Notice is filed in duplicate.

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